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In the application of ) Group Art Unit 3618  
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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.136(a)**

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Sir:

The Applicant's attorney hereby requests an extension of time, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a), to allow the filing of the Applicant's enclosed Request for Continued Examination (RCE) within the fourth month.

A check in the amount of \$55.00 is submitted herewith to cover the fee as set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(b).

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